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**EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
PETITION TO MAKE SPECIAL HAS BEEN GRANTED  
GROUP ART UNIT 3692  
PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

APPLICANTS:	LIKOUREZOS et al.	GROUP ART UNIT: 3692
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EXAMINER:	Clement B. Graham	Atty. Docket No. 1002 CIP III
FOR:	<b>SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR EFFECTING PAYMENT FOR AN ITEM OFFERED FOR AN ELECTRONIC AUCTION SALE</b>	

**Mail Stop Amendment  
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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

Sir:

Please consider the following remarks in light of the Office Action of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office mailed on June 18, 2007:

The Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 26 of this paper.

**FACSIMILE CERTIFICATION**

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being sent via facsimile to facsimile number 571-273-8300 of the United States Patent and Trademark Office and to the attention of Examiner Clement B Graham at Group Art Unit 3692 on the date shown below.

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